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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed from the U. S. Patent Office on December 10, 2007, for which the shortened statutory period was set to expire on March 10, 2008. Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time until April 10, 2008 and authorize the Commissioner to charge the one-month extension fee to Attorney's Deposit Account No.: 50-3081. In the event any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No.: 50-3081.

Applicants respectfully request entry of this Response, in which:

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.
- **Amendments to the Drawing** begin on page 4.
- **Remarks** begin on page 5.

In addition, Applicants have amended the Specification and Abstract in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.121 (b)(3) and 1.125. A marked-up version and a clean version of a Substitute Specification are enclosed. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider the Substitute Specification and Abstract as amended. Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter has been introduced.